

CHICAGO STYLE SHOW

W. R. Harper Writes Interesting Letter Concerning Semi-Annual Style Show in the East

Built around the play "Nothing to Wear but Clothes," the semi-annual style show of the Chicago Garment Manufacturers' Association is conceded by every one to be the greatest style show ever held in America. This show is being held at the auditorium theatre, under the capable direction of the stage manager for the Metropolitan Opera Company of New York and Chicago.

Two hundred garments, portraying fashions of the moment, are being worn by fifty of the country's best professional models in one of the richest settings ever given a style review. Several members of the grand opera company are taking part in the production, which adds to its interest and artistic effect. The estimated cost of the production is \$20,000.00 with a company numbering more than one hundred artists.

Good music is a feature of the show, and while the auditorium seats four thousand people, seats are at a premium. The auditorium, which is famous for its wonderful staging facilities, is showing some of the most beautiful and artistic scenery that has ever been seen at a style show. When artists like Josef Urban, the painter of the scenery for the Folies, is interested, the beauty and artistic effect is assured.

The musical comedy, "Nothing to Wear but Clothes," affords the models an opportunity to feature clothes which are suitable to be worn at all times of the day and evening. For the staging of this comedy fifty professional models, renowned for their beauty and ability to display clothes, and twenty-four chorus girls and men from the grand opera company are assisting sixteen specialists in singing and dancing, presenting one of the most unique and artistic entertainments imaginable.

Among the unique features to be introduced and which adds immeasurably to the success of the entertainment is the skating scene on real ice, also a bathing scene in water, showing Palm Beach, Florida. In the ball room scene the models wear \$100,000 worth of real diamonds and pearls. Lucile, Lady Duff Gordon, of world wide fame, is displaying some of her own costumes and creations.

The first scene in "Nothing to Wear but Clothes," is laid at the Lakenorth Country Club. The exterior scene of the club affords the models an opportunity to appear in sporting attire as well as in suits and afternoon dresses. Here are shown the fashions of the hour in hats and sweaters of brilliant hue, worn with separate skirts and waists to harmonize. White skirts, striped skirts and skirts of solid color with pockets and buttons and trimmings of bands are shown in the most fascinating assortment. The brilliant colors of sporting attire and its extreme popularity make this country club scene one of the most attractive of the evening.

The second scene of the comedy is quite similar to the first, but the third is the skating scene at Lakewood, New Jersey. The models for this scene are professional skaters, who wear brilliant colors, making the scene very gorgeous and attractive.

The fourth scene is a bathing beach at Palm Beach, Florida. Here the models wear bathing suits, caps and hosiery and shoes in all the fashionable styles for the coming summer season. The fifth scene is the ball room in the administration building at San Diego. This is one of the most beautiful scenes in the entire show. The beautiful models have an exceptional opportunity to display the wonderful evening costumes as well as \$100,000 worth of glittering jewels. The evening dresses with their bouffant draperies and

skirts made of gorgeous silks, nets and laces trimmed extravagantly in spangles and beaded trimmings, were never more beautiful.

The bodices of ball room dresses show quite an inclination to follow the lines of the natural figure, while the skirts are flared in an extravagant manner. In most cases they are short, and in many cases extremely so, which necessitates the wearing of embroidered hose and dainty slippers. This scene also affords the models an opportunity to wear evening wraps, which for richness of materials and beauty of design have seldom been equaled.

The sixth scene is a palace on San Francisco bay. In this scene afternoon dresses, dressy suits and coats as well as beautiful millinery suitable to the occasion are worn to excellent advantage.

The dresses show quite an inclination to favor bright colors. Georgette crepe, chiffon, taffeta in both plain and fancy weaves, crepe de chine and nets enter largely into the designing of spring dresses. The combining of soft taffeta and sheer materials, preferably Georgette crepe, is a noticeable feature of many of the smartest models. In the majority of cases skirts are full and waists are closer fitting. Overdress effects, draperies and any effect to give bouffancy is resorted to this season. Skirts are cut circular, gored and pleated in many attractive variations. The tendency to trim skirts is pronounced.

Together the styles for the coming season are entirely new, entirely becoming and entirely beautiful.

W. R. HARPER.

REPORT OF TREASURER

Alliance City Mission Makes Good Showing for Month of January—Financial Report Given

Following is the financial report as rendered by the Alliance City Mission treasurer for the month ending January 31, 1916:

Receipts	
On hand January 1	\$90.27
Cash	1.00
J. Carl Thomas	1.00
Mrs. Anna Chaffee	5.00
Mrs. B. N. Sharp	5.00
John W. Thomas	3.25
H. R. Beans	4.00
J. P. Barger	1.00
Mrs. P. J. Sturgeon	.60
Cash	.50
Mrs. J. A. Keegan	1.00
Cash	.25
U. P. Ladies' Aid	2.00
R. T. Circle	1.55
W. Society Baptist church	3.00
M. E. Ladies' Aid	3.00
Pres. Ladies' Aid	2.00
M. E. Ladies' Aid	4.25
Offerings at Mission	4.05
From Exchange	10.20
	\$143.17
Expenditures	
Drayage	3.50
Electric light	2.16
Padlock	.35
Rent, Nov. 1-Dec. 16, 1915	30.00
Curtains	1.00
Printing	2.25
Lumber for partition	6.00
Rent, Jan. 16-Feb. 16	40.00
Light fixtures	5.87
Coal and kindling	6.00
Balance	46.24
	\$143.17

MAKING ALTERATIONS

Well Known Alliance Clothing Store Adding Fixtures and Having Interior of Store Altered

The interior of the building occupied by The Famous clothing store is undergoing extensive alterations and additional fixtures are being added to the equipment of this well known men's clothing store. Carpenters are at work this week building new shelving and installing dust-proof glass cabinets with a capacity of five hundred men's suits.

The work of remodeling will continue until the entire interior of the store has been brought in shape to properly handle the increasing stock handled by this popular store. In other words, "The store is keeping step with the music of progress."

FIREMEN ATTENDED

Fifty Members of Alliance Volunteer Fire Department Attended Sermon at Christian Church

Nearly fifty members of the Alliance Volunteer Fire Department accepted the invitation of Rev. H. J. Young of the Christian church and attended in a body Sunday evening. Rev. Young recently joined the fire department and the boys showed the right spirit in listening to the sermon which was preached especially for their benefit.

The subject of the sermon was, "The Four Square Man." Rev. Young held the attention of his audience from the start to the finish, and the boys all expressed themselves as being mighty glad that they attended. They are practically all good singers and enjoyed taking part in the singing for the evening.

The interior of the church was very nicely decorated with the colors of the fire department, red and white.

Making Good at Lusk Plant
Lyle Berry and Roy Spacht, who went to Lusk, Wyo., last week to take charge of the electric light and power plant there, took charge of the plant the first night and have been making good from the start. The two Alliance boys make a good team at this kind of work and will make an excellent showing at the Wyoming town.

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TO ERADICATE CATTLE TICKS

Department of Agriculture Will Co-operate With State or County Authorities in Battle.

"Ticks take as much as 200 pounds of blood a year from a 1,000-pound steer; cut the milk production of cows nearly 50 per cent; reduce the home price of meat animals from one-half to one cent a pound; prevent bankers from lending money to promote the live stock industry; keep down fertility and production of farms; and make the southern farmers pay \$50,000 a year to supply the never-ceasing barbecue of blood." Thus Carl Vrooman, assistant secretary of agriculture of the United States, remarked in telling of the new tick campaign the government has started.

"Dip the tick" is the slogan which the department of agriculture has



Dipping Tick-Infested Cattle.

adopted for a special campaign against the cattle tick. Blazoned in big letters this legend will stand out in startling relief upon a two-colored poster which the department proposes to display in every post office in the tick-infested country.

"It costs less than 50 cents a head to dip the cattle of a county and free that county from quarantine," Mr. Vrooman said, "and enable its cattle to compete with free cattle at the stockyards. But before the ticks can be cleaned from a county the people in that county, by themselves or with the aid of the state, must build dipping vats which cost from \$50 to \$100 each, and must supply arsenic, which costs about five cents per head, to make the arsenical bath that kills the ticks. The people must then join in seeing that every steer or cow is dipped a sufficient number of times to kill all the ticks infesting the cattle, and prevent the seed ticks in the grass from finding a new boarding house."

The department will co-operate with a county that is ready to dip ticks by sending its expert field men to supervise the building of vats, to prepare the arsenical bath and to take charge of the dipping of cattle. The people of a county and state, however, have to provide the small amount of money necessary for the actual dipping.

PROPER SHELTER FOR SHEEP

Impossible to Keep Animal's Fleece Dry if Not Given Some Protection During the Winter.

It was formerly quite generally thought that the sheep's wool afforded it all the protection necessary during the winter. If the fleece could be kept dry it probably would retain enough body heat to keep the sheep warm, but this is impossible without shelter. When a fleece once becomes wet it takes a long time for it to dry out, especially if the weather is cold.

Much energy that would otherwise be used for growth or fattening must be used for evaporating this water. The wet fleece also gives rise to unhealthy conditions.

In Great Britain little housing is necessary, but in most places in America this would result in severe losses.

CORRECT FEEDING OF SWINE

One Scientist Gives Voluminous Figures, While Another Says Let Porkers Suit Themselves.

A well-known scientific research professor spent years in experimentation to ascertain the correct amounts of protein, carbohydrates and water to feed hogs of varying ages.

He formulated voluminous feeding tables for farmers to follow that would cause the average feeder to lie awake nights to decipher.

Now comes another investigator who produces better weights and better profits with hogs by simply allowing the porkers to feed and water themselves just as their tastes dictate.

At the Churches

Methodist Episcopal Church
10 a. m. Sunday School.
11 a. m. Preaching service.
6:30 p. m. Young people's meeting.
7:30 p. m. Preaching service.
Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.
Rev. J. B. Carns, Pastor
504 Box Butte. Phone 88

Presbyterian Church
10 a. m. Sunday School.
11 a. m. Preaching service.
2:30 p. m. Junior Endeavor.
6:30 p. m. Senior Endeavor.
7:30 p. m. Preaching service.
Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30.
Rev. Lewis McIntyre, Pastor
705 Emerson. Phone 826

Baptist Church
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.
6:30 p. m. Young people's service.
7:30 p. m. Preaching service.
Mr. Layton will begin a series of sermons to young people, Sunday evening, February 13, to which all, old and young, are invited. Try to attend these services, as they will be interesting and helpful.

Baptist Church
Rev. A. A. Layton, pastor of the Baptist church, begins a series of sermons to the young people with next Sunday evening's service. The series comprises four sermons and will be presented at the evening services each Sunday as follows:
February 13: "A Dreamy Young Man."
February 27: "How to Find a Worthy Husband."
March 12: "How to Find a Worthy Wife."
March 26: "How to Become a Queen."

All the young people of the city are given a special invitation to attend these meetings.

A. A. Layton, Minister

Immanuel's Lutheran Church
Cor. Yellowstone and 7th St.
10 a. m. English Sunday School and Bible class.
Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

English services every first and third Sunday of the month at 2 o'clock p. m.
German school at 9 a. m. every Saturday.

Religious instruction in English every Saturday at 1:30 p. m.
Everyone is welcome and cordially invited to attend all of the services of the church.

Rev. Titus Lang, Pastor
722 Missouri. Phone Black 605

St. Matthews Church
7:30 a. m. Holy Communion

10 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon.
7:30 p. m. Evening prayer and sermon.

Rev. William Carson Shaw, Rector

Christian Church
10 a. m. Sunday School.
11 a. m. Preaching service.
6:30 p. m. Young people's services.
7:30 p. m. Preaching service.
Prayer meeting on every Wednesday evening at 7:30.
Rev. H. J. Young, Pastor
800 Box Butte. Phone 844

Mission Meetings
The meetings last week were conducted by Rev. H. J. Young, pastor of the Christian church. Good audiences were present at nearly every meeting.
This week the meetings are being continued with different persons in charge each night.

Mayor P. E. Romig left Tuesday night for Kearney where he will attend the convention of the mayors of the state of Nebraska. No effort will be made to land the 1917 convention for Alliance, as it is customary to hold the convention at Lincoln the year the state legislature is in session.

AN INVITATION

The Alliance Herald is published every Thursday at Alliance, Nebraska, the county seat of Box Butte County. The Herald is the leading weekly newspaper of the state of Nebraska and runs in size from eight to thirty-two pages per issue, averaging sixteen pages. It covers the news of western Nebraska thoroughly, giving special attention to the development of this end of the state. The subscription price is \$1.50 per year, payable in advance. You are respectfully urged to fill out the blank below and forward with your remittance.

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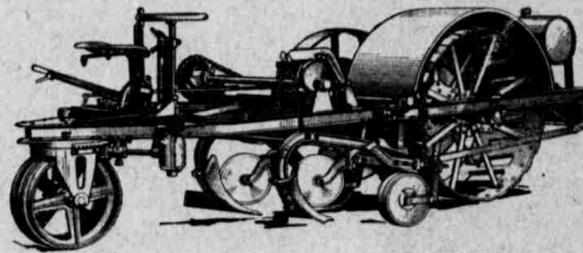
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